

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH

TRANSFER OPPORTUNITY

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COMMUNITY WORKER

Northeast Mental Health Center and Northeast Wellness Center are adult outpatient mental health programs located in the Highland Park area of Los Angeles. We are seeking a highly qualified Community Worker who is recovery-oriented and knowledgeable about community-based services and resources. This individual must be flexible and comfortable providing field-based services.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:

- Conduct interviews with clients to identify and address their targeted case management needs
- Collaborate with multi-disciplinary treatment team members to coordinate treatment services
- Provide field-based targeted case management services
- Link recently-hospital discharged clients to their primary treatment providers
- Link clients to primary health care providers
- Facilitate rehabilitation-option groups
- Assist clients to obtain housing and link to housing resources and opportunities
- Assist clients to link to meaningful activities, such as employment, educational and volunteer opportunities
- Assist clients to navigate health care provider system
- Conduct mental health triage for clients who come to clinic as a walk-in, under supervision of clinical supervisors

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS

- Experience in working as a member of a multi-disciplinary treatment team
- Knowledgeable about community-based and benefits establishment services and resources
- Experience in providing field-based services
- Have excellent interpersonal skills
- Have very good verbal and written communication skills
- Have strong ability to organize and prioritize tasks and complete assignments on time
- Have ability to work independently and as a team player
- Be highly motivated and flexible
- Bilingual, Spanish-speaking preferred

Interested individuals currently holding the payroll title of Community Worker are encouraged to e-mail their resume, master timecard (past two years), and last two Performance Evaluations no later than **Friday, August 7, 2015**, to:

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